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MOBILE COMMUNICATION SYSTEM



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One copy of each of the listed documents is submitted herewith.

1. Japanese Patent Application 2000-22611, dated January 21, 2000
2. Japanese Patent Application 2000-138633, dated May 16, 2000
3. Japanese Patent Application 2000-165320, dated June 16, 2000
4. Japanese Patent Application 2000-197188, dated July 14, 2000
5. Japanese Patent Application 8-256103, dated October 1, 1996
6. Japanese Patent Application 9-121193, dated May 6, 1997
7. Japanese Patent Application 3109311, dated September 14, 2000

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Reference 1 - Page 11, Line 2; Reference 2 - Page 11, Line 14

Reference 3 - Page 11, Line 25; Reference 4 - Page 12, Line 8

Reference 5 - Page 12, Line 25; Reference 6 - Page 13, Line 16

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